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Council of 1002 Holds Its Last Meeting and Closes Up Business By Passing and Adopting the Lac Seul Railway By-law Few Changes in the Text.

The Board of Aldermen met last [rails thereon, A clause was accord. "In past years money was spen night to hold the closing session of the ingly inserted to that effect. term, Mayor Cameron in the chair and all members present.

for a raise of salary, Campbell Bros, Allan McLennan ie the Vereker block claim of damages against the town, and A. M. Rose the tax gather-

the payment of a number of small accounts amounting to \$405.94. A cheque for \$5,000 was authorized for issue in favor of the Board of Education, and one for \$800 in favor of the Separate schools.

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The committee then rose and reer, saying that he had collected over re the bridges, after which the by law this connection, that giving to the The finance committee recommended | passed without further discussion. A mayor and clerk to sign a copy of the by-law to be given Mr. Chadwick as a memorandum of the agreement.

Moved by Aldermen Horswill and Hudson that this council do and heremany courtesies and great services extended to them, and rendered the town by the Mayor during the year. 1902, and also that it is the wish and prayer of this council that he shall long be spared to honor the position free hand next year, for as a privaelected to represent this district in His Majesty's Government of the Province of Ontario, and that he may long be spaced to enjoy the just rewards of good citizen-hip, and that he in we at all times as now have the best interests of his country at heart, and it Seal Railway by law with Alderman called upon again, hanor this town by

THE MAYOR'S ADDRESS.

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> "I have been absent from so many meetings this year that I think it would hardly be fair for me to look for the office of mayor for another ported Mayor Cameron's amendment term. However I wish to state in was read the third time and finally kindness and nativing zeal of my col sagues that my work was accomplishmotion followed authorizing the ed at this board just as well as if I had been present, a thorough anderstand ing existing at all times, and on all

"The time is now arriving when this town will be in a position to sell by express their appreciation of the power to manufacturing concerns, and I state positively that had we been a such a position this year, large indus tries would now be established here This is something the new council will be called upon to deal with, and citizen I can do more in the way of promoting the establishment of it dustries here, than I could it wee mayor of the town. I will carry no policy with me in stepping down from the mayor's chair, and will do all i my power to promine the welf tre-

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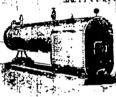
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law making provision for the reserva. to carry out that policy, use the bridges and the company's the progress of the municipality.

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"we mapped out a programme, and I Horswill that this council desire to ex Mayor Cameron pointed out that must say that both last year's council press their appreciation of the very clause should be inserted in the by and this, worked in complete harmony able and efficient, manner in which

tion of running rights over the "There was friction it is true, during the past year, bridges. If the town ever decided to but the friction was caused by in. The council then adjourned express ed into the street railway business on fluences altogether without the pale of sing its best wishes for the property their own account, they would have to Aldermanic Board, and was opposed to of Rat Portage and its friture council is at the foot of a cliff over 80 feet

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> Moved by Aldermen Clineron an our estoemed elerk has filled his office

also to his ability and . Meiency in his

In conclusion I may add that most of the locations surveyed by me fo the company showed veins and indications of covered veins. I think the Company has a bonauza property in Edmund Seager Says Claim M. H. 251, and some very promising

> properties in the new surveys. (Signed) EDMUND SEAGER

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Neatness. Agnes J. McOlay

CLASS II

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Barle Thomas Minnie Adams Emma Dabm .. Neatures, Frank Mauneell.

ed with quartz will be found to be paying ora, The rock over the tunnel The scholars of our town show tree who are or our town showed interest in this contest and thanks are due to Rev. Mr. Page and Miss Flaker who undertook the task of judging the competitions... or rather over the part which the tun-nel has almost reacted in also seamed with good looking quarta. This tunus

The shove named prize winners are requested to sail at the King Cast Stores on the ascening of Wednesday se, as the tunnel the Mrd inst.

The ro-Stamp Mill Will Be Ready to run About the Middle Of February.

Mr. Thos. Heys, M. E., of the Eliza

beth mine, Steep Rock Lake, which belongs to the Anglo-Canadian Gold Estates Company, arrived in town yesterday ofter being away about a year Mr. Heys in emperation with Miner reporter spoke very cheerfully about the prospects at the Elizabeth A depth of 250 feet is now reached. and about 20th feet of drifting has been done, three levels having been driven, thus blocking out immense

knows the values It the ore as wis At present Maning or Sullivan has gang of ment at work erecting a ten stamp mill, which, it a expected will specified in Tender If must be a be minning about Foliatery loth. 1

supplies of ore. Mr. Hovs does the

asserting at the camp, so that his cli-

thusiasm means something, as be-

The Elizabeth mine is situated in to be spir and to consist largely of the centre of the iron mining activity Jack Pine, and Tamarac. The dry of the Antikokan which is a divisional wood must be delivered immediately point on the C. N. R. and is discout and the green wood before March 1st from the gold mine only about five next. miles. Mr. R. H. Fisherty has a carep a few miles from the Elizabeth, where Town of Rat Portage .he is exploring for iron for the United

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RAT PORTAGE, DEC. 23, 1902.

ME DROER FAITH WITH URI

The chairman of the Board of Wka. solemnly promised as that the water would be off on Thursday last, and we golielessly put a notice in the Miner to that effect. It is all very well for Mr. Horswill to make statements be cannot back up, but I when it comes to dragging us in to father well, those statements, it is not all very well. It places us in a very distressing predicament, to be called upon to explain to sate householders whom we have persuaded with our notice, to rustle around and find barrels and tube to store water in and who most likely spent some hours scrubbing the receptacles, and making a horrid mess all over the kitchen.

This reminds us of a little story we will tell for Mr. Horswill's benefit. Once upon a time there was a prophet of great renown who was worshipped by the people because of his great prophesies and remarkable piety. He was a long distance prophet, -that is he foretold things, which would take place after a million years or so, and such was the admiration of the multitude for the man who could look so far into the fut ure, that they loaded him with all kinds of presents, dates, (not engagement dates) bananas, grain, cattle, goats, and other hardware, until at last he got stuck on himself and he told the people that in twice sevendays the beavens would rain fire, and every mother's son of them would be destroyed off the face of the

The people believed him, and they simply cashed in and broke up the game, They put ashes in their pockets and wore sackcloth pants, the canvas factories having to run night and day to supply the market.

At last the seventh day twice came around, and the insurance companies prepared for a slump in their stocks. The prophet got up on top of a high mountain, and cast one eye on the unpromising sky and the other over his line of communications on west side of the mountain.

Of course it didn't rain fire, and the people got mad about it and caught the peoplet just as he was trying to slip down the mountain side. It was in vain that the prophet told the people that they ought to give thanks that it didn't rain fire, which would have made things



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warning from this, and when he foretells a four years or a four hours drought, he needs to carry out his contract, if he has to bust a main FOR THE ROUND TRIP to make his dates connect

COUNCIL NOT PERFECT.

well-known local gentleman takes objection to our eulogy of the 1902 council, and at the same time calls attention to the dangerous state of the sidewalks. The gentleman wanted to come down town on Saturday night to buy Christman presents and had to get his youngest son to draw him on a hand-sled. He is now thinking of fitting a pair of s eel runners to his - pants, from which we would infer that the gentleman lives on the top of a hill.

ET IN TERMA PAX.

If it is any satisfaction to the gentleman upon whose corns we unwittingly dropped a twelve-fifty stamp shoe, when we said Mr. Currie was an 'efficient, zealous, and painstaking official," we will retire behind the technicality involved in hehind the tention to the fact "that Court's attention to the fact "that also attended the time for the redemption of Section of Sec This is Christmas week, and we naturally feel a desire to be at peace with all men ;

COULDE'T ACCEPT. received through the same agency an guarantee with every 50 cent bottle invitation to dinner, but "owing to lets, the only remody in the world a rush of job work" it will be utter; that positively curse all troubles ly impossible for us to accept. The arising in gentleman who invites the editor is kidneys:quartered in Pretoria. Lets see, was sufferer is not relieved and improved it Buller who invited himself to it after the use of one bottle. Three to Christmas dinner in Pretoria and six bottles effect autonishing and Christmas dinner in Preferra and six notices energy assonsining and then didn't go? Yes, it was. Guess, permanent cures. If not relived and he had a "runh iol job work too! Johnsen's Pharmacy." Rat Portage, about Christmas !"

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The adjourned sale of Lands adver-tined to be sold for arrears of taxes. with costs will be held Thursday the twenty-second day of January 1:03, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon at the Town Hall, Rat Port-

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Men's Fine Mucha Gloves and Mitts ilk or firece lined

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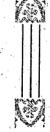
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Judicial Sale of Property in the District of Rainy River.

Pursuant to the Order of Thomas W. Chapple, Esquire, Local Master of the Supreme Court of Judicature, made in the action of James Gibson. and H. E. Hook, against John August McCarthy, and Douglas Hamilton there will be offered for sale with the approbation of Thomas W. Chapple. Esquire, Local Master of the Supreme Court of Judicature at Rat Portage, by R. J. Parrett, Auctioneer, in the Town Hall at the . Town of Rat Portage, at two o'clock in the afternoon, on Thursday, the 15th. day of January, 1903, ALL AND SINGULAR, that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and heing in the District; or Rainy River, and Leng composed of Mining Location 13 S. V. Manitou, Lake, in the District of Ramy River being Freehold Parer! 7.5 The property will be offered for sale subject to a reserved bid.

The purchaser shall pay twenty per cent of the nurchase money at the time of sale, to the vendors or their plication will be made to the Legisla- solicitors, and the relance in thirty days thereafter into Court, to the Ontario at the next session thereof, credit of this action, without inter. est. The terms and conditions of sale will be the standing conditions of his Court.

> Moran & Mackenzie or from T. R. Ferguson, solicitor for the above named defendabts, Rat Portage, Ont

DATED this 29th day of October A. D., 1903.

(Signed.) T.W. CHAPPLE.

Advertisement of Sale.

Further particulars may be had from Messrs. Boyce & Draper, Sol-citors for the above named plaintiffs

Local Master of the Supreme Court of Judicature.

I hereby direct that the within advertisement be inserted in the Rat

advertisement be inserted in the Rais Portage Miley; one in each week for three weeks; commencing the 5th day of December, [A. D., 1992 and fitty copies of said advertisement be also sent by the solicitors of the parties, to the prospective purchasers, lead-ing mining brokers, etc., and affida-vits of mailing filed with me.

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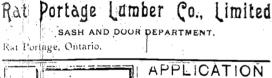
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Main St. Rat Portage.

(for the applicants.)

Dated at Rat Portage, this 3rd day

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before our Store enlargements will be Complete, we are Disappointed of Course; in fact we would like to be in it now that we might find room to do Justice to our Magnificient Stock. Weeks More," so the Contractor says-but-well everybody is so busy in Rat Portage you know, just up to the eyes in work and THAT'S OUR CASE EXACTLY.

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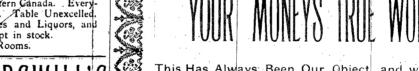
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Hudson's Bay received a consignfrom Smith Falls.

Mr. William Scott who has charge of one of the R. P. Lumber Coy's logging outfits left today to return to his

Street, Saturday Dec. 27th at 3 o'clock p. m. R. J. Parrott, Auctioneer.

W. A. Ferguson thanks his irrends trade and wishes one and all a Merry exceeding one chain in depth amas and Happy New Year.

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